

## SPAIN GIVES IN TO UNCLE SAM

Full Apology for the Attack on  
the Legation.

GOVERNMENT DISAVOWS THE  
WHOLE THING.

Through Minister Taylor the President  
Is Cabled the Apology and Notice  
That the Minister Will Be Afforded  
Full Protection in the Future—  
Whole Country Is Aroused—In-  
tense Feeling Against the United  
States.

Washington, March 2.—The Spanish government has taken prompt steps to make amends for the raid on the American legation at Barcelona, yesterday. Through Minister Taylor at Madrid, the disavowal and promises to make suitable reparation were cabled the president today. The dispatch added that measures have been taken to accord the United States legation full protection. However indignation and hate against the United States seem to have taken possession of the heart of all Spain over the action of the United States senate in recognizing the provisional government of Cuba as belligerent and in calling upon President Cleveland to use his good offices with Spain to secure the independence of Cuba. This feeling culminated in violent scenes here Sunday and an attack upon the United States consulate. A public demonstration to protest against the United States senate's action was organized by political leaders, including republicans and men of all shades of political sentiment. It was 3 o'clock in the afternoon when the meeting had assembled, and there were fully 15,000 people present. The purpose of the meeting was explained as one of protest against recognition of the Cuban government as a belligerent power by the United States senate.

The spirit of the crowd took fire and they determined to set off for the United States consulate. The leaders, who had originated the meeting, seem to have realized the serious consequences that might follow upon a demonstration that took this direction, and they made every effort to dissuade the mob from its purpose. But their utmost efforts were of no avail, and the crowd set off for the United States consulate.

The authorities of the city had by this time taken alarm and a force of police was sent to the consulate. The excited crowd was not intimidated by this show of force from gathering before the consulate and shouting: "Long live Spain!" and "Down with the Yankees!" In a short time stones began flying from the crowd, which broke a number of windows in the United States consulate.

The force of police charged the crowd under orders of their officers and roughly dispersed them, wounding several. So far as learned there were no fatal results.

The majority of those who took part in the disorders were students, and they were most persistent in keeping up the disorders. The police were obliged to charge the crowds again and again before they succeeded in clearing the streets of the rioters. After they were driven from the streets they proceeded to the governor's palace, intending to present to that functionary their protest against the action of the United States senate.

The persons who took part in the disorderly demonstrations clearly had the sympathies of the people with them. The balconies and windows were filled with ladies waving their handkerchiefs as the students passed through the streets.

When they arrived before the United States consulate they found that a strong body of police had occupied the entrance of the staircase leading to the roof of the consulate. The riotous students tried to force an entrance here, but they were repulsed by mounted gendarmes. A lieutenant of gendarmes was wounded by a stone thrown from the crowd.

The students publicly tore up a number of American flags which they had purchased in the town.

### SPANIARDS ANXIOUS FOR WAR.

Hostile Demonstrations Against the  
United States.

Madrid, March 2.—The Spanish people are enthusiastically determined to go to war forthwith with the United States and to speedily avenge the insult which, it is fancied, has been offered to the haughty pride of Spain by the United States senate in determining to recognize the Cuban provisional government as a belligerent power, and to ask the president to use his good offices with Spain to obtain recognition of Cuban independence. Some of the organs of public opinion declare that the bankruptcy of the Spanish government will not prevent the Spanish people from taking up the quarrel on their own account and fitting out expeditions and maintaining them at their own expense while combating the insolence of the assertions of the United States.

There is a notable increase of excitement and patriotic ardor among the

people since Saturday, when the news of the senate's action was first made known. Such a stress of feeling as exists, if it continues for any length of time, cannot but afford a serious menace to the peaceful relations of the two countries. The Spanish authorities provided special safeguards for the suppression of disorders, and especially for the protection of any official representative of the United States government.

It is significant that the minister of marine, Admiral Jose Maria Beranger, has issued orders for the training squadron to be prepared to sail. It is regarded as probable that this squadron will proceed shortly to Cuba. It has also been ordered that all other war ships available be forthwith armed and equipped and put into condition for active service. In addition to this, about fifty merchant steamers, available for government service, will be provided with naval armaments. For the military branch of the service a fresh expedition of 20,000 infantry and 5,000 cavalry will be equipped and put on a war footing and will be kept in readiness to leave on the shortest notice.

In view of the excited state of the public mind, the United States legation in this city has been placed under the special surveillance of the police. The students of this city are busily at work to organize a great demonstration of protest against the vote of the United States.

At Valencia Sunday all the students of the university paraded the streets and then gathered before the United States consulate, shouting, "Death to Uncle Sam," "Vive Espana," and "Long live the army."

Senor Canovas del Castillo, the prime minister, has informed a journalist who interviewed him that the government now has sufficient resources for war purposes to last until the end of May, when they will ask the cortes for a fresh credit. The premier also said that he thought further re-enforcements would not be required for the present.

The government has issued an order prohibiting the various demonstrations which have been planned by students. This order is taken to mean that the government does not at all approve of the course the popular ardor has taken, and sees in it danger of complications and embarrassments for it in its present delicate situation. It is understood that the Spanish minister in Washington, Senor Dupuy de Lome, has been instructed to make diplomatic representations to the United States government regarding the action of the United States senate.

The guard about the United States legation, so far as it is seen, consists of a few police, but a force of 150 gendarmes is kept constantly ready in an adjacent house in case of any demonstration being made against the legation. In addition the authorities have tendered to Minister Taylor a guard of police at the entrance to his private residence, but Mr. Taylor has declined this offer.

### INTEREST IN WASHINGTON.

Spanish Government Not Blamed for the  
Hostile Demonstrations.

Washington, March 2.—Intense interest is felt here in the dispatches showing the demonstrative feelings existing in Spain against the Americans regarding the Cuban question and the statement that the government is increasing its naval force. No surprise was expressed at the demonstrations which have occurred, in fact such were expected. The speeches in the senate, extracts of which have no doubt been published in the Spanish papers, have had their influence on the masses of the people and have thrown them in an unfriendly move against United States officials. The whole matter is regarded here simply as that of mob violence for which the Spanish government has not in any manner been responsible. Steps undoubtedly will be taken very promptly to ascertain the situation through state department channels if Minister Taylor at Madrid or Consul Bowen at Barcelona do not anticipate the officials and make a report. The Spanish minister, Senor de Lome, heard of the happenings in Spain through the press, and he was besieged by the reporters for an expression of his opinion. He diplomatically declined, however, to say anything for publication pending news from his government, which he expects to receive.

The violation of the consulate of the United States at Barcelona makes a disavowal necessary by Spain and the United States probably will inquire of the Spanish government what amends will be made. Spain may be expected to make an expression of genuine regret or proper explanation for the unfortunate occurrence and possibly reparation for the damage done. This, at least, is the opinion of Chairman Hitt of the house committee on foreign affairs, who from his actual experience in diplomatic usages is well qualified to say what the requirements of international law and custom are in such cases.

### Kansas Instructs for McKinley.

Topeka, Kas., March 2.—Republican conventions were held in thirty counties in Kansas Saturday and in twenty-eight ironclad instructions for the Ohio candidate at the state convention at Wichita March 10 to elect the delegates-at-large. For two weeks the friends of Allison and Reed have been working hard against instructions, but they say that nothing but a miracle will prevent the delegates-at-large from being pledged to McKinley.

## ACTION ON CUBA IS TO BE TAKEN

HOUSE WILL SETTLE THE  
QUESTION THIS WEEK.

Senate Resolutions May Be Substituted, So That the Matter Can Be  
Disposed of Without Delay—Measures of Importance Before the Senate—Washington News.

Washington, March 2.—The conspicuous feature of the house proceedings this week will be in connection with the Cuban resolutions which the committee on foreign affairs reported and which are now on the calendar. It is felt that unusual methods will be required to get the subject before the house. Two methods are open. Under the rules the first and second Mondays of each month are suspension days. To-day, therefore, is one of the days when the speaker could recognize Mr. Hitt to move the passage of the resolutions under a suspension of the rules. Such a motion would require a two-thirds majority, but it is not believed that a dozen votes would be recorded in opposition. Only thirty minutes' debate on a side would be allowed if such a motion were made. The other way would be for the committee on rules to bring in a special order.

The general impression is that the former method will be followed. The fact that the senate resolutions were referred to the committee indicates that the majority prefer the house to the senate resolutions, but when the question comes before the house, unless it is by a special order, which would cut off comment, a motion probably will be made to substitute the senate resolutions. The latter action would have the advantage of ending the matter. Delay would be a natural incident to the passage of a different set of resolutions by each house, and the temper of members is enthusiastically in favor of action. There has been some talk of making the resolutions joint, instead of concurrent, in order that the president may be forced to approve or reject them, but there is no probability that this change will be made.

The remainder of the week will be occupied with appropriation bills. The legislative bill, which is under consideration, will consume two days, possibly more, and the postoffice bill will probably take up the balance of the week.

The senate will pass the agricultural bill early in the week. Senator Mitchell (Ore.), chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, has given notice of his intention to call up the Dupont election case Wednesday. It is not expected that the decision of the senate in this case will be reached during the present week, and the result is as yet very uncertain. The republican side of the senate has been canvassed, with the result of ascertaining that there will be a solid republican vote in support of the proposition to seat Mr. Dupont, but this is one short of a majority and it is not yet known whether this vote can be obtained. It is believed that the entire democratic vote will be cast against Dupont. The republicans, therefore, rely entirely upon securing a part of the populist vote.

The calendar continues to grow, and will afford plenty of material for work, if circumstances permit it to be taken up. It is also probable that Senator Teller will find opportunity during the week to discuss the tariff bill as it relates to the silver question, and there may be other speeches in the same line, with an effort to secure a vote on the motion to recommit.

To avert any trouble over the unveiling of the Marquette statue in the capitol, which has aroused antagonism from the American Protective association, the covering was removed from the statue Sunday, and will not be replaced. No arrangements for a formal unveiling had been made, and Judge Losey, who represents the state of Wisconsin, which is the donor, concluded that the ceremony might be dispensed with. There will, however, be speeches in the senate Friday or Saturday by Senator Mitchell and others upon Father Marquette and possibly some members of the Wisconsin delegation in the house will pay tributes to the eminent pioneer and missionary. The statue is watched by police night and day.

The first presidential veto of this session of congress was overridden by the house Saturday by a vote of 198 to 38, 122 more than the requisite constitutional two-thirds. The bill authorizes the governor and local officers of Arizona to lease the educational lands of the territory for school purposes. The president's objection to the bill was that it did not give the secretary of the interior power to disapprove the leases and did not throw proper safeguards about the timber on the lands.

### Situation in Kentucky.

Lexington, Ky., March 2.—The withdrawal of Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter, the republican candidate for United States senator, which occurred Saturday, has further complicated the senatorial situation, and it is likely that there will be no senator elected by the present legislature. In an interview Dr. Hunter gave it as his opinion that the split in the democratic party was so pronounced that no democrat could be elected, and that the two populists who held the balance of power will not vote for a sound-money democrat.

## FIRE-BUG CAUGHT, TORCH IN HAND

"FRENCHY" GRIFFEL UNDER  
ARREST AT LA CROSSE.

He Has Had a Mania For Setting Fires  
For Many Years, But Could Never  
Be Caught in the Act—He Con-  
fessed To Applying the Match a  
Dozen Times.

La Crosse, Wis., March 2.—[Special]—Aristide Griffel, better known as "Frenchy," was caught in the act of firing a building last night and this morning he confessed to having set fire to over a dozen places. It has been his mania for years, but the police could never catch him in the act.

### MAY NOT MARCH TOGETHER.

Commander of the Grand Army Against  
Joint Parades of Veterans.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 2.—Commander-in-Chief Walker of the Grand Army of the Republic has made public the correspondence in relation to the proposed celebration of the Fourth of July in New York city. He says he will continue to insist that the Grand Army of the Republic shall not take any part in the celebration if it is arranged for war veterans of the north and the south to march together. It is his intention to issue a general order in due time prohibiting veterans of the union cause from participating in the celebration. "I can see the sentimental side of the controversy," said he, "but there is a principal involved, and I propose to stand firmly by that principle. Either the south or the north was wholly right in the conflict, and believing, as I do, that the north was wholly in the right I shall oppose any demonstration that will tend to glorify the cause for which the south fought."

### Western League Meeting.

St. Paul, Minn., March 2.—The last meeting of the Western league before the opening of the season takes place at the Windsor hotel to-day. The only thing of importance to come up will be the schedule. Upon this there is likely to be some trouble, as several cities want a schedule of 140 instead of 120 games, and want the season to begin about April 20 instead of May 1. The objection offered to the change is that the weather, especially in this section, is too cold for baseball before May. There is also objection to the playing of games in St. Paul and Minneapolis as last year, the visiting clubs alternating between the two cities. The majority favor playing a series through in these towns the same as in other towns of the circuit.

### Destructive Fire at Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., March 2.—Halifax had a fire early Sunday morning that entails a direct loss of \$250,000 and an indirect loss much greater. The fire started in the basement of the furniture warehouse and factory of Gordon & Keith, it is presumed by sparks from the stove having ignited a mass of inflammable matter. The heat was so intense as to melt the glass in windows half a block away. Gordon & Keith's building was entirely consumed, as well as their piano warehouses and music store, immediately to the north on Barrington street. A Connors' millinery store was damaged and her stock ruined. M. Conway's dry goods store, to the south was badly damaged.

### Evidence of a Brutal Murder.

Chicago, March 2.—The mutilated body of a man was taken from Lake Michigan directly in the rear of the Chicago Beach hotel at the foot of Fifty-first street shortly before 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The skull was crushed and the face cut and torn until it resembled a hideous mask. The right leg was broken just above the ankle, the left collar bone and all of the ribs were fractured, and there were wounds elsewhere, which lead to the conclusion that a horrible murder has been committed.

### Believe Money Is Hidden.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 2.—The returning of indictments against J. D. Farden and Robert Burnett by the grand jury of this county gives rise to much speculation by those familiar with facts connected with their \$16,000 steal from the express company. The officials have suspicions that the absconders have several thousand dollars planted and that their five years in the penitentiary will be to them merely a speculation.

### Disasters Fire at Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, Ill., March 2.—The three-story brick business block of A. F. Gebhart & Son, erected at a cost of nearly \$30,000, was destroyed by fire Saturday evening, together with a stock of merchandise and fixtures valued at \$34,000. The fire was caused by electric light wires. The insurance on the building is \$5,000, on stock \$10,000. Henry G. Custer, a telephone company employe, came near losing his life, but it is thought he will recover.

### Warship Needed at Corinto.

Managua, Nicaragua, March 2, via Galveston, Tex.—Reports received here indicate that the presence of a war vessel of the United States at Corinto is very much needed, as there is great danger that the custom house there will be seized and the merchandise it contains captured or destroyed.

### IN RECEIVERS' HANDS.

Baltimore & Ohio Road Confesses Its  
Insolvency.

Baltimore, Md., March 2.—The Baltimore & Ohio railroad company, one of the oldest and most extensive transportation systems in the United States, has confessed its insolvency and gone into the hands of receivers. John K. Cowen, its president, and Oscar G. Murray, its third vice-president, will hereafter operate it for the benefit of the creditors and bondholders under the direction of the United States court. This action was taken Sunday night and was the immediate result of the failure of the directors to negotiate loans to provide for interest and other payments due and about to come due. The Baltimore & Ohio system includes 2,065 miles of railway, extending into all parts of the country east of the Mississippi river. It was one of the first railways built in the United States and for many years was considered the most reliable and profitable. Johns Hopkins university, in this city, is one of the largest holders of its preferred stock, and the loss of revenue from that source will be keenly felt by that institution. The stock of the company is \$30,000,000. Its bonded indebtedness, according to Poor's Manual for 1895, is \$75,000,000, and its floating debt is thought to be between \$10,000,000 and \$12,000,000. It owns and leases twenty-nine different roads in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois, including some of great importance.

### THREE FATALLY HURT.

Serious Train Wreck a Short Distance  
from Troy, Kan.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 2.—An east-bound Rock Island passenger train ran into the rear end of a freight west of Troy, Kas., Saturday night and fatally injured three persons. The freight train stopped at a water tank and the conductor neglected to send back a flagman. The injured: Alexander, M. A.; skull fractured. O'Brien, W. W., traveling man of Chicago; injured about the spine. Westeen, A. I., of St. Joseph, fireman on passenger train, both leg broken in four places and injured in body; will die.

Williams, Mrs. J. D., of Troy, Kan.; limbs crushed.

Six freight cars and two passenger coaches were derailed. It took twelve hours to clear the track.

### Colored People Protest.

Washington, March 2.—The colored people of this city maintained comparative silence with regard to the Flager case until Sunday. Then, as if moved by a common impulse, the pastors of the colored churches and the leaders of the Sunday schools and lyceums made that case the topic of discourse and condemnation. The general tenor of the criticism was that the negro cannot obtain justice in the District of Columbia. It has been agreed that a mass meeting of the colored citizens of Washington shall be held some day this week for the purpose of placing on record their condemnation of what they insist is a discrimination against their race based upon prejudice.

### Gov. Matthews' Position.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 2.—Governor Matthews will send his reply to Chairman Gowdy and the state republican committee some time to-day. The governor has spent his spare time the last week writing a formal answer to the republican memorial asking for a special session of the legislature to pass an apportionment law. He refuses to outline in advance his position, but there is nothing to indicate that he has changed his opinion. He is opposed to a special session, and all his party is backing him up, as the legislature is overwhelmingly republican.

### Michigan's New Census Law.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 2.—Attorney-General Maynard has given an opinion in regard to the workings of the new census law passed by the legislature, and which will be applied for the first time in the spring elections. He says that the act as passed is full of defects and that many of the evils that exist in the present census laws will continue until the law can be patched up or a new law enacted in its place.

### Boies and the People's Party.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 2.—At a meeting of populists here Saturday Gen. James B. Weaver nominated ex-Gov. Boies as the people's party candidate for president. Mr. Weaver's declaration was due to the recent letter of Mr. Boies declining to allow his name to be used in connection with the democratic nomination for the presidency and endorsing the free coinage of silver.

### Gov. Greenhalge Rests Comfortably.

Lowell, Mass., March 2.—Governor Greenhalge is resting more comfortably though he is very weak. His physicians state that his case is critical though they do not look for a fatal termination right away.

### Brice Aspires to the Presidency.

Columbus, Ohio, March 2.—Colonel S. K. Donovan has received a letter from Senator Calvin S. Brice, in which the latter contradicts the report that he will retire from politics, and intimates that he is a candidate for the presidency. He says that he expects to remain a citizen of Ohio and to be active in democratic politics, even though the democracy may choose some other leader.

## RUIN IS SPREAD BY THE FLOODS

Much Damage Done by Water in  
the East.

NEW ENGLAND STATES FEEL  
A DELUGE.

Dam Breaks at Bristol, Connecticut,  
Letting a Mighty Torrent Loose—  
Bridges and Houses Are Swept  
Away Like Straws—The Dam-  
age to Property Will Reach \$2,000,-  
000—Hundreds of Families Are Left  
Homeless—Damage in New York.

Bristol, Conn., March 2.—The greatest flood in the history of Bristol swept down the Pequabuck valley Sunday morning, spreading ruin and desolation on every hand. The town of Bristol was a heavy sufferer during the storm of a few weeks ago, when six men lost their lives, but the waste of waters before daylight Sunday morning eclipsed all previous records.

The heavy rain and melting snow on the mountains swelled the basin of the old copper mine dam in Whiggsville, the northern section of this town, until it burst, tearing away 160 feet wide in the granite masonry, and letting a volume of water, covering seventy-five acres and forty feet deep, into the river below, which itself was a roaring torrent. The break occurred about 2 o'clock. The great body of water tore down the valley with a roar that was heard above the noise of the storm for miles away. At Forestville, four miles below the dam, people living near the river were obliged to abandon their residences, as the water broke into the lower stories in many cases before the inmates were out of bed.

The highway bridges on nearly all roads crossing the Pequabuck were swept away. Ten in all have gone out and others are badly damaged. The street of Bristol and the village of Forestville were badly washed in many places. The highway bridge at Forestville Center sagged several feet, and is in an impassable condition. It is estimated that the town of Bristol will lose from \$50,000 to \$75,000 by damage to the bridges and roads.

Hartford, Conn., March 2.—The great rainstorm which was in progress all day Saturday, Saturday night and Sunday, caused the greatest damage to property throughout the state that has occurred in twenty years. Many serious accidents, washouts and wrecks are reported. The Connecticut river is swollen until it has reached a point three times greater than its normal proportions. The big iron bridge at Middletown was in great danger all the afternoon and a portion of the false work was swept away, but the main structure is still intact. A bad freight wreck occurred early in the morning near Forestville. The engine of a special freight ran into a washout and was capsized. Seven cars were smashed to atoms and one of the trainmen badly injured. The storm in Winsted and other sections of Litchfield county was very severe. The Philadelphia, Reading & New England railroad tracks are under water in many places, and traffic has been suspended. The loss in Litchfield county alone is estimated at nearly \$100,000. At Brooklyn a well-known mill owner lost his life, and several accidents are reported from many sections.

### LOSS WILL REACH \$2,000,000.

Reports Show that New England Has  
Suffered to This Extent.

Boston, Mass., March 2.—The loss caused by the forty-eight hours' rain in New England is beyond estimate, but computation of reports received from all accessible places shows over \$2,000,000 damages. All railroads are tied up, wires are generally down and travel in nearly every direction is suspended. It was still raining at 11 Sunday night, and the prospects are that the damage will be tripled. The Cochecho river at Dover, N. H., has reached the highest point ever known, and the city is surrounded by water. The river is seven feet above the top of the dam of the Cochecho manufacturing company. At 5 in the afternoon the middle span of the Central avenue bridge went down. The loss is \$25,000. At Manchester, N. H., the water is seven feet above the top of the Amesoke dam and the river is rising rapidly. On the Piscataquog river, near Manchester, four highway bridges have been swept away. In Goffstown the Parker Bros. mill has been carried away. The electric plant at Kelly's Falls has been partly destroyed. At Meredith a passenger train passed over a culvert just before the flood came down the side of a mountain and carried away the culvert and forty-five feet of track. Two bridges near Newport, on the Sugar river, are gone and several dams are washed away. In Greenfield, Mass., stores and houses are submerged, and the damage will reach \$10,000. At Northampton Mill river is on a rampage and the Haydenville bridge is undermined and likely to give way under four feet of ice. All of the lower floors of the two score mills in the valley are flooded and the damage is considered great. A railroad bridge over Mahan river at Southampton was



## PRESBYTERIAN PEWS FREE THIS YEAR

### JANESVILLE CHURCH TRIES A NEW DEPARTURE.

There Will Be No Sittings Reserved—  
Rev. Dr. Hulbert, of Chicago, Ad-  
dresses the Members of the Baptist  
Congregation—Other Local Church  
Notes.

Janesville Presbyterians have made  
their church a free church. No pew  
rent will be collected this year, and  
no sittings reserved.

The new plan went into effect yester-  
day. Hereafter the funds for  
maintaining the church will be raised  
by subscription, fifty-two envelopes  
being handed to each member of the  
church to receive weekly contribu-  
tions.

Court Street M. E. church has been  
trying the experiment for two years  
with considerable success.

At the Baptist church yesterday, Dr.  
E. B. Hulbert, dean of the Divinity  
School of the Chicago University, oc-  
cupied the pulpit, and delighted both  
the morning and the evening audi-  
ences. Dr. Hulbert is one of the great  
men of the university, and showed his  
wisdom by preaching two very prac-  
tical and helpful sermons. The even-  
ing address was to the young people,  
upon the importance of conquering  
difficulties and of thoroughness in all  
they undertook.

When Dr. Hodge wet away, Dr.  
Goodspeed was written to in re-  
gard to a supply, and took Dr. Hulbert  
into his counsel as to whom to send.  
He at once suggested, that in view of  
their high appreciation and love for  
Dr. Hodge, that they send some of  
their strong men, instead of a student,  
as has usually been done. The sug-  
gestion was adopted and at Dr. Good-  
speed's request Dr. Hulbert came first.

He will be followed by others and  
among the loved and well known, Dr.  
Gulusha Anderson. There was an  
universal request at the close of last  
evening's services, for another visit  
by Dr. Hulbert, but the doctor is a  
very busy man and was unable to  
make any promises. Dr. Hulbert is a  
strong man, both physically and men-  
tally and withal a kindly, genial  
gentleman, and his visit and helpful  
words, will be long remembered by  
all who had the good fortune to hear  
him.

The ladies' aid society of the Baptist  
church will meet Wednesday at 2 p. m.  
in the church parlors.

Mr. Hansen, of the Presbyterian  
church, presented the second of the  
series of good citizenship papers at  
the Endeavor meeting. His subject  
was "Citizenship."

At the Congregational Church.

"I was wounded in the house of  
friends," were the words around which  
Rev. Mr. Wilder wound his communion  
talk at the Congregational church yester-  
day morning. From various pas-  
sages he showed how the faithfulness  
of Christ's followers was the hardest  
thing He had to bear. In the garden  
at the time of His great agony, and  
while He suffered, His friends slept.  
Peter, the friend who loudly pro-  
claimed his loyalty, when the test  
came, denied Christ. So in the church  
it is a constant wounding. The sins  
in the church of Christ; the hardness  
of hearts that should be soft and ten-  
der; the littleness; the narrowness;  
and the selfishness, are the things  
which are today wounding the heart  
of Christ in the house of those who  
claim to be His friends.

At the evening service he spoke of  
Solomon, the foolish and the wise man  
who, in the morning of his life, had a  
vision. He would be a great and wise  
king. His ambitions were lofty.

In the evening of his life we find his  
great opportunity to do for and help  
others turned to glorify himself. His  
reign was not a success because he  
did little that would abide. His real  
ambition was for luxury and for out-  
ward show. He developed the  
earthly and animal side of his nature.  
True wisdom builds that which will  
abide. It discerns between sham and  
real success, between popularity and  
sterling worth and integrity. It is  
not enough to have lofty ambitions  
and noble visions. One must possess  
wisdom to see the true value and de-  
cide rightly. One must make strenu-  
ous efforts to succeed. There must  
be a willingness to struggle and en-  
dure hardships as a good soldier. Be-  
ware of first steps. The first wrong  
pleasure, the first glass, the first  
yielding to the little temptation, these  
are the steps that yield to failure.

A business meeting of the Christian  
Endeavor society will be held at 7:30  
this evening, at the Congregational  
church. There will be a social at the  
close of the meeting, and all young  
people of the congregation are invited.

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and all others who may wish to come.  
A meeting of the Congregational  
church and society will be held Tues-  
day evening at the church at 7:30  
o'clock.

The First M. E. Church.

In the morning the pastor Rev. R.  
K. Manaton spoke on "The Transfig-  
uration of Christ," taking as his text  
Matt. 17: 1-5.

The scene he said was one of un-  
parallel glory. A close fellowship is  
shown between earth and heaven;  
that death does not end all is proved  
in this scene. God recognized Christ  
as prophet and king. This was the  
crisis in Christ's life, on it hung the  
destiny of the race. Instead of transla-  
tion he chose to die a man for man.  
When his choice had been made a  
vision disappeared. He came down  
from the mount and passed through  
the closing scenes of his life. When  
he cried "It is finished" the work  
was finished and man's redemption  
was accomplished. We should live  
with this glory ever shining on our  
lives.

The Epworth League meeting was  
led by F. J. Barfoot. The subject:  
"Christ In Temptation." Mr. Hanson  
gave a report of the state convention  
at Madison. A very excellent paper  
on the franchise was read by F. Mc-  
Namara from the Congregational  
society.

In the evening the pastor spoke on  
"Why I Ought to Be a Christian," tak-  
ing as his text Acts 26:28.

The regular business meeting of the  
Epworth League will be held Tuesday  
evening.

A cottage prayer meeting will be  
held with Mrs. Taylor Wednesday  
evening and Thursday evening the  
regular prayer service will occur.

MR. AND MRS. G. W. DAVIS ENTERTAIN

Charming Celebration In Honor of the  
Host's Birthday Saturday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Davis of  
Chicago entertained Mr. Davis' rela-  
tives in a most charming manner Sat-  
urday evening at the residence of his  
father, G. H. Davis. The affair was  
in honor of Mr. Davis' birthday. Cards  
were indulged in until eleven  
o'clock at which time luncheon  
was served, and those fortunate  
enough to be present will long remem-  
ber the occasion. The table was  
decorated with roses and carnations  
and champagne sparkled in the  
glasses. The birthday cake was a  
gift from Mrs. J. B. Minor and the  
red ripe cherries on the top signified  
the age of the host. Many other  
beautiful gifts were also received.

THOUGHT HE HAD BEEN ROBBED

Courtland Lackner's Missing Robes Picked  
Up By Passers By.

Courtland Lackner of Fulton, was  
coming to town Saturday evening,  
and his buggy broke down near the  
Baines farm, on the river road. He  
went to a nearby farm house for  
assistance, and when he returned his  
robes and horse blankets were miss-  
ing. Mr. Lackner came to town and  
reported the matter to the police, but  
to his surprise he found his lost prop-  
erty in the possession of Chief Acheson.  
A stranger on driving to town  
found the robes in the road and turned  
them over to the chief to await an  
owner.

LIVELY GAME OF BASKET BALL

Captain Wheeler's Team Is Beaten for the  
First Time.

A good sized crowd saw the basket  
ball game at the Y. M. C. A. building  
Saturday evening, between the teams  
of Captains Rowe and Wheeler. The  
score was 3 to 2 in favor of Captain  
Rowe's team, it being the first defeat  
that Captain Wheeler's team has met  
this season. The teams lined up as  
follows:

A. K. Wheeler,	Forwards,	J. C. Kline,
J. Haggard,		R. H. King,
William Walker,		C. Reswick,
E. Williamson,	Centers,	F. Carr,
A. Abbott,		M. D. Wise,
G. Hands,		C. W. Rowe,
H. Wheeler,	Backs,	W. W. Watt,
J. R. Whiffen,		H. Clay,

UNION MAN WAS NOT "CHASED"

Was Ordered Out of the Shop By The  
Non-Union Proprietor.

EDITOR GAZETTE—We request that  
you correct a statement which ap-  
peared in The Gazette Saturday even-  
ing, which grossly misrepresented the  
facts regarding a union man being  
"chased" out of a non-union shop. The  
facts are that the union man was or-  
dered out, and he went out, after re-  
maining a sufficient time to tell the  
proprietor what he thought of him,  
and he did not depart in haste. Our  
members are never chased by non-  
union employers. We are not that  
kind.

A Three Days' Sale.

Just as an opener for the cash rule  
we have adopted, we will have a three  
days' sale on 200 pair of \$1.25 and  
\$1.50 oxfords at 49 cents a pair. The  
stock may not last the three days out  
as 49 cents is very low for such qual-  
ity of goods as these oxfords contain.  
Remember this is merely an opener.  
We are enabled to make very low  
prices on all kinds of goods by selling  
for cash, and from now on, watch for  
us. Lowell.

A Majestic.

We will guarantee the Majestic  
range we have to be in perfect order.  
Only used a few weeks, and can be  
bought for \$19.50. Lowell, on the  
corner.

Seem Em, What?

Our narrow for gets and ladies.  
The most stylish shoes on earth. I o  
not delay seeing them. Brown Bros.  
& Lincoln.

We want your trade. We have too  
many ladies' shoes. We must have  
room, hence the price we are making  
on ladies' shoes. Every pair a bar-  
gain. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Joe Heald's Barn

Laid Low By Fire

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## PFENNIG WILL RACE THIS SEASON

The Janesville Wheelman Will Be Out for  
The Prizes

W. M. Pfennig of this city, who is  
now on the road for the Phoenix Bicy-  
cle Company of Freeport, has not  
given up racing, and his present inten-  
tion is to try his luck upon the Janes-  
ville track this summer. Mr. Pfennig's  
territory includes Wisconsin, and  
after the regular bicycle season opens  
up he will devote much of his time to  
racing, the object being to advertise  
his wheel. For this purpose he is now  
having constructed an 18 pound racing  
machine which will be used for  
track work only.

## NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

THE "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar—a  
refined smoke.

Insist on having the "Lyonettes"  
and you get the best.

NONE better than the Miller or Stet-  
son hat. For sale by T. J. Zeigler.

LADIES do not object to the aroma  
of the "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

THE Miller, Stetson and Guyer hats  
are sold in Janesville by T. J. Zeigler.

THE "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar ar-  
equal to any 10 cent cigar on the  
market.

THE Industrial Cigar Co. are sole  
proprietors of the "Lyonettes" 5 cent  
cigar.

UP to date styles in good shoes is  
what we have to offer you. Brown  
Bros. & Lincoln.

HAVE you tried the "Lyonettes"?  
the finest cigar that capital and la-  
bor can produce, for 5 cents.

STOLEN shoes. People do not steal  
shoes of us. They can buy them too  
cheap. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Big profits in the shoe business is a  
thing of the past. Small profits and  
large sales is our motto. Brown Bros.  
& Lincoln.

WE never advertise anything we  
have not got. That's why people come  
to us every time. Brown Bros. &  
Lincoln.

THE "Stetson '96" is a very tasty  
shape for spring. We show it in two  
colors and three different dimensions.  
T. J. Zeigler.

FORTY-EIGHT pair of working men's  
pants at 50 cents a pair. We want to  
close out the lot, so come early. Low-  
ell cash store.

THE "Lyonettes" are Sumatra  
wrapped, Havana filled, Perfecto  
shape and hand made. For sale by  
all dealers at 5 cents.

WE have a fine second hand stove  
for a store or tobacco warehouse: will  
burn coal or wood, and can be bought  
very cheap. Lowell.

DON'T you forget to remember when  
you want shoes or rubbers that you  
can always save money by buying of  
us. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

STETSON and Miller hats are now in  
line. Notice our large display ad on  
page 8 and see the different styles  
we are showing. T. J. Zeigler.

ARCHIE REID & Co mention spring  
garments this morning and on Tues-  
day and Wednesday will show the  
few capes, jackets, suits and skirts.

WE are in the shoe business to stay,  
and if good goods and low prices are  
any object to you come to us and you  
will get them. Brown Bros. & Lin-  
coln.

Just a words that's all. Look at  
our 1896 new goods. They are  
beauties, marvels for the price. Like  
Caesar's wife, above suspicion. Brown  
Bros. & Lincoln.

SUPPLY yourself before it is too late  
at our special sale of winter goods.  
Our one fourth price renders the pur-  
chase of a stylish winter cloak very  
easy. T. P. Burns.

ONE of those top coats of ours just  
the thing for spring. Have you seen  
them? They are nobby, the right cut,  
and as well as a garment as can be  
burned out by any tailor. Drop in and  
try one on. T. J. Zeigler.

THE sun's here, and probably come  
to stay for a while, and with it you  
must have a new hat. Nothing im-  
proves a man's appearance as much as  
a new and stylish hat. We carry all  
the latest blocks in soft and stiff.  
Frank H. Baack.

As our special sale is now drawing  
to a close we are anxious to have you  
own every dollar's worth of winter  
goods that it is possible for us to get  
rid of, but as the mere asking won't  
do it we make prices that facilitate  
purchases. T. P. Burns.

THIS is indeed hat time, and every-  
body seems to have the best. But we  
haven't. We have as good as can be  
found and they are all new and  
nobby, and we are selling them just a  
little lower than any one else in town.  
Don't wear the old hat or cap any  
longer. A \$1.50 Fedora hat for \$1.00.  
Frank H. Baack.

Ask for "Lyonettes" and you get  
the best 5 cent cigar on the market.

My Husband Suffered

For years with catarrh, rheumatism and  
chronic diarrhea contracted in the war.

In the fall he had  
the grip and came  
near death's door.  
He could not eat  
or sleep and was  
much emaciated.

One bottle of  
Hood's Sarsaparilla  
did him so much  
good that he kept on  
taking it. He now  
has a good ap-  
petite and has  
gained in flesh. I think it saved his life.

AMANDA CASTETTER, Mt. Jackson, Ind.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier.



# THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## VANKIRK IS ON THE COMMITTEE

Semi Centennial Arrangements in the Hands of One Hundred Men.  
W. T. Vankirk of this city has been made a member of the committee of one hundred on the Wisconsin semi-centennial. His letter of appointment came Saturday and this afternoon he forwarded his acceptance. Under the motion of Hon. Thomas M. Blackstock, of Sheboygan, all plans



Capt. W. T. Vankirk

and propositions for the semi-centennial celebration are to be considered by the committee of one hundred the members of which are expected to decide as to the principal features.

## BELOIT CELTS TO COME HERE

The Line City Irishmen Will Help Honor St. Patrick.

At a meeting of Beloit Irishmen called to talk over the proposition to visit Janesville on St. Patrick's day, it was decided to contract to take at least 150 tickets over the Northwestern road, at 50 cents each. Rev. M. J. Ward presided at the meeting. Messrs. J. L. Mahoney, J. J. Ryan and Isaac Connors of this city were present, and gave information relating to the proposed celebration. The Beloit Hibernians will come in a body and hire the City Band to accompany them.

## COLLEGE BOYS SING AT AFTON

Quartette Render the Music at the Baptist Church Services

Afton, March 2.—A large congregation greeted the Beloit college boys at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. The college Y. M. C. A. quartette composed of Messrs. Rose, Oide, Van Aiken and Davis rendered the song service, while Horace Rose of the senior class, president of the college Y. M. C. A., delivered the evening discourse. Next Sunday evening Pastor Mayhew will give a "chalk talk" on the subject of "The Prodigal Son." The young ladies of Afton and vicinity are making elaborate preparations for another leap year party, to be held next Friday evening at the residence of W. H. Eldredge. G. R. Franklin and family, who have resided on the G. W. Crossman farm for the past year, expect to leave for Ohio this week, where they will make their future home. We are sorry to lose these good people from our midst. The school in the Humphrey district, presided over by during the winter by Miss Hattie L. Servis of Beloit, closed last Friday with appropriate exercises. The meeting of the Fortnightly club, held at the residence of A. F. Tolles last Friday evening, was well attended. The club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eldredge, Friday evening, March 13. Superintendent Thorne spoke at the Lima Center flag-raising last Friday. He reports an enthusiastic gathering and a good time. The republicans will name their delegates to the county convention at Lawton's hall, next Saturday afternoon.

LADIES' good rubbers 33 cents at Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

## WANTED.

WANTED—One hundred pounds of clean wiping rags at The Gazette press room.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to O. D. Rowe, or at register of deeds' office.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. No. 6 East St.

GIRLS WANTED.—Experienced operators in stitching room of shoe factory. Good wages and plenty of work. Apply in person or by letter to C. H. Fargo & Co., Dixon, Ill.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Two bellers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

I have a boy fourteen years old that is used to farm work, that I wish to get a place with a good farmer for eight months or a year at reasonable wages. First class references if required. Enquire corner of Racine and Glen Elia streets, two blocks from Main street.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Good house, possession April 1. Charles L. Field.

## CATARRH CATARRH

Local Disease and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes. It can be cured by a pleasant remedy which is applied directly into the nostrils. Being quickly absorbed it gives relief at once. Ely's Cream Balm is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Cold in Head and Hay Fever of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays inflammation, breaks the sores, protects the membrane from colds restores the senses of taste and smell. Price 50c at Druggists or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York

## THE COUNTY COURT CALENDAR

Thirty Seven Cases Come Up in Judge Sale's Court Tomorrow.

Thirty seven cases will come before Judge Sale in the county court as the regular March term to be held tomorrow, they being as follows:

Hearing Proof of Will—Josiah M. Everett, Michael Murphy, Thomas Davidson and Lyman Inman.

Hearing Petition for Administration—Daniel Naugle, John A. Clark, Charles M. Morehouse, Catherine Crouch, Carl B. Dennett, Ferdinand Block and Hugh Mezzies.

Hearing Claims—Edward L. Holman, Cordelia A. P. H. Chester, Elijah Inman, Henry Detmen, John Austin, Dennis Ryan and Henry Palmer.

Hearing Petition for Extension of Time to present Claims—Jane A. Hills and Martha Hudson.

Hearing Petition for Appointment of Guardian—Thomas J. Conlin and Henry Sweet.

Hearing Administratrix' Account—Minerva Lewis and Sarah E. McIntyre.

Hearing Executor's Account—Martha H. Razson.

Hearing Administrator's Account—Evaline Page, Harriet G. Dougherty, William Wilcox, Charles E. Merrill, James Kilner.

Hearing Guardian's Account—William W. Higgins, Edmund S. Chadwick, Thomas Howe (M. H.), Christ Eicher and Edward Shield.

Hearing Trustees Report—William Wilson.

Hearing Executrix' Account—Alexander Thom.

## TREASURER FATHERS' GOOD WORK

Collected All But \$863.10 of the \$86,712.50 Before the Sale

City Treasurer Fathers is entitled to the championship belt for the collection of taxes, as the record he made this year is an unusually good one. The total tax on realty was \$86,712.50 and of this Treasurer Fathers had all but \$863.10 collected before the sale took place. The personal tax collections have also been closely made, and Treasurer Fathers is entitled to much praise for the thoroughness of his work.

## JUST A LIST.

Are You Out For Bargains, We Can Catch You.

Fire hovers each..... 3c  
Pencil boxes and key each..... 5c  
Tablets each..... 3c  
Pen holders four for..... 5c  
Ladies each..... 3c  
Match safes each..... 2c  
15 lb nails..... 25c  
50 bolts..... 15c  
Nickie house numbers..... 8c  
Stove blacking..... 1c  
4 papers tackle..... 5c  
Hinges per pair..... 5c  
Tin basins each..... 3c  
Glass water sets..... 27c  
Jem tins each..... 6c  
16 quart dishpans each..... 14c  
24 sheets shelf paper..... 2c  
Whips each..... 10c  
Raven shoe polish per bottle..... 15c  
Lead pencils per box..... 5c  
Satin suspenders per pair..... 20c  
Torton lace per yard..... 4c  
Men's caps each..... 25c  
Waterbury watch each..... \$1.39  
9 coppers box boilers..... 80c  
Slop pails each..... 15c  
Ax handles each..... .08c  
Ax with handles each..... .75c  
Gravy strainers each..... .02c  
Wire tea strainers each..... .04c  
Steel cake griddles each..... 29c  
The big store on the corner,  
LOWELL.

## THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

CONCORDIA society.  
LIGHT Infantry drill.  
KNIGHTS of the Maccabees.  
BADGER Council Royal Arcanum.  
LENTEN services at Christ church.  
ORIENTAL Lodge 22, Knights of Pythias.

CHRISTIAN Endeavor meeting at the Congregational church parsonage.

OPENING of the Streeter-Vincent engagement with the comedy "Grit," at the Myers Grand.

Oratorio of Elijah at Madison, March 3

For the above occasion in the Northwestern Line will sell excursion tickets at reduced rates on March 3d, good for return until March 4th. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

J. W. Pierce, Republic, Ia., says: "I have used one minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merit. I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself." C. D. Stevens.

If the baby is cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy. MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Quick in effect, heals and leaves no scar. Burning, tealy eruptions quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Applied to burns, scalds, old sores, it is magical in effect. Always cures piles. C. D. Stevens.

It not only is so, it must be so. One Minute Cough Cure acts quickly and that's what makes it go. C. D. Stevens.

## B. F. CARY RECEIVES A MEDAL

Given a Solid Gold Trophy By the Insurance Company He Represents.

B. F. Carey of this city now owns a solid gold medal, as the result of being a hustler in the life insurance business. Mr. Carey works for the Prudential Company and the corporation in order to test the ability of their young men decided to present each with a gold medal when he came up to a certain average increase of business during the last five weeks in the year '05. Mr. Carey knew nothing of the result until last week when his much prized trophy arrived.

## A Cold Cure For Ten Cents.

Three little tablets, each a separate prescription that together will cure a cold in one night. "Cold Crackers" are for sale at all druggists. Perfectly harmless. Certain to cure.

WANTED—Every one to try the "Lyonettes" cigar.

## OVERLOOKED.

There Are Patent Medicines and Remedies, Without Number

For Every Disease and Affliction But One.

A prominent physician was recently asked, why it was that there are so many "blood purifiers," "nerve tonics" and remedies for every ill, except one of the most common and annoying, viz: piles. He replied, there are two principal reasons: first, physicians and people in general, have thought that the only permanent cure for piles was a surgical operation, that medicinal preparations were simply palliative. Another reason is, that piles is, in no sense of the word, an imaginary disease; the sufferer from piles is very much aware of the fact, and for this reason, the few so-called pile salves, ointments, etc., have been sold. The patient very soon discovered their inefficiency.

He says further, "fortunately however, there is a new remedy for piles, which judging from its rapidly growing popularity will soon take the place of all other treatment; it has certainly made astonishing cures in this obstinate disease and its merit has made it famous among physicians and wherever it has been introduced. This remedy is sold by all druggists under the name of Pyramid Pile Cure.

From the immediate relief which the Pyramid Pile Cure gives in all forms of piles, many physicians supposed it contained opium, cocaine or some similar substance, but upon analysis it was found to be perfectly free from anything of the kind, and that the instant relief and cure which follows its use, is rather the result of its remarkable healing, soothing action on the parts affected.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is the only remedy, except a surgical operation, which immediately relieves and permanently cures every form of piles.

It is sold by druggists at 50 cents and \$1.00 by mail from Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

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# The Finest Cake

In the World is made with

**Horsford's Baking Powder.**

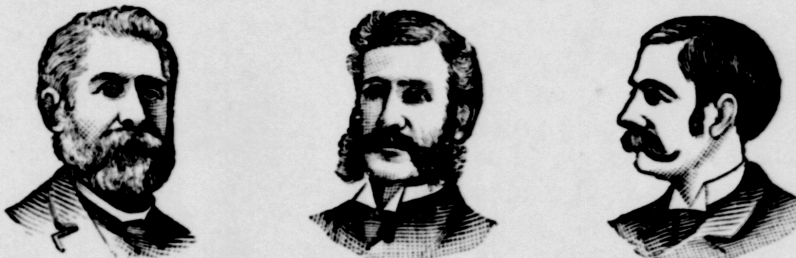
Use one-third less quantity than other powders require and the Cake will be remarkably light, of fine texture, and will retain its fresh condition longer than when any other powder is used.

## THEY ARE COMING!

Free For One Day Only, Thursday, March 5th.

All who visit these eminent physicians on March 5th, at the Grand hotel, will receive all medical services

FREE UNTIL CURED.



The Celebrated English Doctors of The London Medical Institute, 413 Grand Avenue, Milwaukee.

In order to thoroughly introduce the wonderful English Treatment in this locality, the English Doctors are again offering their valuable services free to all chronic sufferers. The Doctors will tell you quickly and frankly whether you can be cured, and will positively refuse to treat incurable cases. In many instances they locate disease without asking any questions. The marvelous cures they have effected in Milwaukee in Catarrh and obstinate Chronic Diseases have excited the envy of the profession and the wonder of the public.

Call on these eminent Specialists, you will surely profit by it.

## ALL DISEASES AND DEFORMITIES CURED.

**CATARRH CURED**—Consumption in the incipient stage: Bronchitis, Asthma, Rheumatism, all diseases of the Nose, Throat, Lungs, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, Scrofula, Sores, Ulcers and all Chronic Blood Troubles; Eczema, Psoriasis, Pimples, Blisters and all skin troubles treated and cured.

**NERVOUS DISEASES**—Epilepsy, positively and permanently cured. Nervous Debility from any cause, Hysteria, Neurasthenia, Chorea, St. Vitus' Dance, etc., cured by the London Specific treatment.

**DISEASES OF WOMEN**—We examine all ladies without exposure and treat all diseases peculiar to their sex without the use of rings, pessaries, supporters, etc., by new and painless methods.

## CANCER CURED WITHOUT CUTTING.

**Young Men, Middle Aged Men, Weak, Diseased, Despondent Men.**

Suffering from premature decay, exhausted or enfeebled powers, and all diseases arising from habits of youth, early vices, indiscretion or excesses—all diseases causing drains, losses, weak or failing memory, blotches, pimples, impure blood, falling of hair, etc., should visit them at once. By their English Methods and Remedies, they guarantee each sufferer immediate relief and perfect cure.

**CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT**—No matter how many physicians have failed to cure you, call on us.

Office 413 Grand Ave., Wis. Hours, 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.

P. S.—These physicians will return every thirty days for one year. Address all mail to London Medical Institute, 413 Grand Avenue, Milwaukee.

**DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS.** The only safe, sure and reliable Female PILLS ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio. Prentice & Evenson, druggists, Janesville

# Some Have Their Sorrows

....And Some Have Their Pleasures.

I have have had my sorrows, and am now having the greatest pleasure I ever experienced in seeing in seeing the many of my customers carrying off such large bundles as they are now during our great cut price sale.

# Remember==

my stock must be reduced, and prices have got to do it. Sixty days' time is short, and prices will have to be made low enough to to carry the goods away.

# A Full Line

of ready made Clothing of choicest make, and Hats and Caps of latest styles, also Furnishing Goods. Everything in stock goes to make the room I must have.

# FIRST COME---FIRST SERVED.

Don't be the last, but be one of the number who carries away a bargain.

**R. M. BOSTWICK,**

No. 16 South Main Street.

## Railroad Time-Tables

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago Via Clinton	6:35 a m	9:30 p m
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	7:35 a m	8:25 p m
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p m	12:40 p m
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 p m	1:30 a m
Chicago Via Beloit & Harvard	7:30 a m	5:30 a m
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Deloit, Rockford, Belvidere & Elgin	12:23 p m	10:30 a m
Waterloo, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	6:40 p m	10:25 p m
Waterloo, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	7:00 a m	12:15 p m
Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 p m	10:40 p m
Waterloo & Juneau Freight	4:00 p m	
Waterloo	8:25 p m	7:50 a m
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon Madison & Elroy	6:50 a m	
Evansville Madison Elroy La Crosse Winona & St Paul	10:50 a m	3:05 p m
La Crosse Winona & St Paul	8:00 p m	12:05
Evansville Madison St Paul & Duluth	9:30 p m	6:35
Evansville Madison St Paul Winona & Dakota	1:30 a m	6:35 p m
Evansville Madison & Elroy	7:30 a m	
Chicago Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 p m	1:15 p m
* Daily * Sunday only.		

## Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.

Leave For	Arrive From
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	11:40 p m
Milwaukee, Watkiesha and Chicago	7:40 a m
Waukesha and Chicago	10:45 a m
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:40 p m
Edgerton, Shoupton and Madison, Minn.	4:40 p m
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	7:00 p m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	11:20 a m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha and West Freeport, Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan	4:40 p m
Beloit, Rockford, Watkiesha, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	11:30 a m
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	9:30 a m
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:10 p m
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	8:05 a m
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	10:05 a m
* Sunday on.	

## MAILS ARRIVE AND CLOSE

JANESVILLE MAIL.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west, North and North-west	9:00 a m	9:00 a m
Chicago, East, North and North-west	7:05 a m	7:05 a m
Chicago, North, East, West and General	9:40 a m	12:00 p m
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison	2:40 p m	5:00 p m
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison	6:30 p m	1:00 p m
SUNDAY		
Chicago, East, South and South-west	6:00 a m	6:00 p m
North, North-west, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	6:30 p m	7:30 p m
Chicago, East, West and South	7:30 a m	

## STATION MAILS:

Johnston and McDonald, 11:03 a m

Emerald Grove and Fairfield, 2:30 p m

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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## THE JANESVILLE GAZETTE.

## RUIN AND DESOLATION

THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

Entered at the postoffice at Janesville, Wis., as second-class matter.

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE NO. 77

For business, advertising, etc., call counting room—two rings.  
For news, call the editorial room—three rings.

STREET CAR MEETING HELD.

No Plans Were Made As to When the Wheels Will Start.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Janesville Street Railway was held this afternoon. As yet no superintendent has been elected and no definite date has been set for the starting of the cars. A report of the financial condition for the year of '95 from George W. Blabon of Philadelphia was read and accepted and the following officers for the year of '96 were elected:

President—George W. Blabon.  
Vice President—James Shearer.  
Secretary and Treasurer—Edward L. Blabon.

Directors—G. W. Blabon, James Shearer, G. M. McKee, W. T. Vankirk and F. S. Winslow.

TURKISH BATH PARLORS SOLD

Dr. Q. O. Sutherland Purchased the Property for \$2500 at Auction Sale.

The Turkish bath parlors, under the Hotel Myers, were sold at auction today, Dr. Q. O. Sutherland buying the property for \$2500. He will take possession at once. Dr. Sutherland had an \$800 mortgage on the property.

TOOK VOWS AT CUPID'S ALTAR

Day-Tanberg.

The many friends of Miss Helen Mae Tanberg and Harry B. Day will doubtless be surprised to know that they have been married since March 28, 1895, but such is the case, the announcement having been made but a few days ago. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tanberg, while the groom is the son of Mrs. W. B. Burr.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

Smoke "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigars.

Two good smokes at the cost of one 10-cent cigar—the "Lyonettes."

If you are fond of good interesting facts read Bort, Bailey & Co's. ad. of this evening. They make the ladies an offer.

SPECIAL SALE for two days of 79 pairs of ladies' shoes, \$1 a pair. Lowell Hardware Co.

We will sell the best \$2 shoe you ever bought or ever will for the price. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

If you have got a small foot we can sell you a \$2.50, \$3, and \$3.50 shoe at 98 cents. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Those embroidered handkerchiefs will be given away Tuesday and Wednesday. Only bear that in mind. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Two dollars will buy you an elegant shoe at the A. Richardson Shoe Co's unloading sale next week. Better look into the sale.

Go to Bort, Bailey & Co's, Tuesday and Wednesday, and get one of those embroidered handkerchiefs they are giving away with \$2 purchases.

You don't get a chance every day to buy goods at such prices as the A. Richardson Shoe Co. make for next week. Choice shoes at way down prices.

PURCHASES to the amount of \$2 and upwards at Bort, Bailey & Co's. store Tuesday and Wednesday are to be presented with a beautiful embroidered handkerchief free of charge.

We make mark for others to aim at. We have been selling Oxfords that cost from \$1.25 to \$2.50 for 50 cents in small sizes and shall continue. Come and see them. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

It is worth your while to see the style and workmanship that Adler Bros. have put in their suits this spring. They have always made it a point to be leaders, but this year surpasses them all. We want everybody to see our \$10 suits. Frank H. Baack.

THREE carloads of buggies of different kinds rolled into the city Saturday consigned to F. A. Taylor, the wide awake carriage dealer. This is only a starter on spring stock. Mr. Taylor's line this season will be more complete than ever.

SATURDAY was another hat day with us. We sold a great many more than we expected to. We haven't the best on earth remember, but we have as good. A little cheaper than any other store in the city. Our new shapes at \$2 are extra value. F. H. Baack.

We are still blowing about the "Giant" unlaundered white shirts for we know they are the best for one half dollar to be found and if you want something extra good buy the "Elgin" at \$1 which is as good as any of the \$1.50 shirts on the market. F. H. Baack.

F. A. TAYLOR, the man of Henney buggy renown, has a large advertisement in tonight's paper that is well worth time spent in reading it. Mr. Taylor as usual will have the model stock of carriages and up to date vehicles of all kinds in this section of the country the coming season. The prettiest of turnouts always come from Taylor's establishment.

A Handkerchief Free.

During the mid-winter fair Tuesday and Wednesday, Bort, Bailey & Co. will give a beautifully embroidered handkerchief to the purchaser of goods amounting to \$2 or more. The handkerchiefs are valued actually at from 25 to 40 cents each. If you have any shopping to do this week at any time, you had better arrange to do it Tuesday or Wednesday and get the handkerchief free. Bort, Bailey & Co.

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washed away and travel has been suspended.

Hundreds of families in Lancaster and Clinton were forced to leave their homes by the rising waters of the Nashua river. The Sawyer Mills bridge is in imminent danger. Every man in the two towns has been called to aid in the work of saving it. Jefferson's dam and Paton's dam in the town of Holden, just above, were swept away, and with the rush of waters that followed the four mills in Clinton were undermined. The citizens of Milford, N. H., were summoned by the fire alarm to save goods in the stores.

The \$60,000 steel bridge of S. D. Warren & Co., at Cumberland Mills, Me., was swept away, carrying with it the big steel bridge of the Portland & Rochester railroad, and the whole mass of metal was hurled upon the Warren mills. The damage will exceed \$500,000 to the mill property alone. The mammoth steel bridge across the Androscoggin, between the cities of Lewiston and Auburn, has been seriously weakened, and the tracks on both ends were cut. It is expected the structure will go down, as the water is rising ten inches an hour tonight. Three dams and Britton's mill at Livermore have been carried away and the stone bridge at Phillips has collapsed. Fifty million feet of logs are being swept down the Androscoggin, and every bridge is doomed. People are terror-stricken and hundreds were compelled to seek safety on the hillsides, where they passed the night, with the rain beating down upon them, there being few places of shelter. The flood throughout Maine threatens to be a repetition of the Johnstown disaster.

Damage in New York State.

New York, March 2.—The warm, almost continuous rain the last two days throughout New York state served to bring the frost out of the ground, break up the ice in the Hudson and smaller streams, and do considerable damage to property by flooding cellars and carrying away bridges. Three dams at Schuylerville and all the bridges between Ballston Spa and Rock City falls were carried away. At Whitehall the water in Wood creek is higher than it has been for the last twenty years. The large flume of the Champlain silk-mills has been swept away, and over 300 men will be thrown out of work until the damage can be repaired. The damage to property in Whitehall alone will exceed \$30,000. At Amsterdam much damage was done to mills and buildings by the overflowing of Chuctanaua creek. At Hudson the docks are under water and considerable damage has resulted to cotton in warehouses.

Carload of Stoves.

Lowell, the hustler, received Saturday a carload of the famous quick meal gasoline stove. The quick meals are the only successful gasoline stoves on the market. This fact is proven by the increasing sales every year and loud praises of the hundreds of people who use them.

The Favorite Butter.

Probably no brand of butter has become such a favorite in so short a time with so many people as Northern Dairy. The fact of its being pure dairy of the same flavor and quality always, and at the same time lower in price than any other wins it a place to many housekeepers' tables. Have you tried it? Nolan Bros. Telephone 172.

LOST—A package containing a yard of black tipper fur on South Main street. Finder please return to this office.

"JUST SWEET ENOUGH TO BE GOOD."

**Shakespeare**  
**Plus Tobacco**  
CHAMPAGNE FLAVOR.

Its An Elegant Chew.

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Latest Patterns

in imported and domestic fabrics now on hand.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP

Satisfaction guaranteed in Style, Prices and Finish.

FRED FELTZ,

**MYERS GRAND**  
WINE & SPIRITS  
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ONE SOLID WEEK.

Commencing Monday, March 2d, '96  
Special Engagement of The  
VINCENT-STREETER CO.,  
Monday Night the Roaring Comedy—

"GRIT."

Don't fail to see "Ziska," the wonderful European Mystery.

Hear the great Arion Male Quartette.  
SPECIAL PRICES—Entire first floor, 15 cents; balcony 10 cents. Sale opens Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

## A GENUINE WINDFALL

FOR THE PUBLIC

## A Bankrupt Stock of Goods!

The eastern buyer of The Continental Clothing House

Has purchased from the Chicago Title and Trust Co., receivers for Kahn Schoenbrun & Co., wholesale Clothiers, Chicago, their bankrupt stock at 42c on the dollar, which is now placed on sale at 59 East Milwaukee street, at prices low enough to sell them at Prices Absolutely Lower Than Ever Known Before for such High Grade Goods. Some articles have been marked one third the price, others a little more than one third, and some exactly half price; the lot averaging less than one half the regular price or actual value of the goods. Read every item, bring this paper with you, point out the goods you wish to see and they will be found exactly as described.

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats		Men's Suits and Overcoats		Men's Pants.	
SALE PRICE		SALE PRICE		SALE PRICE	
Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$4.00, 4.50 and 5.00 will be sold at		Kahn Schoenbrun PRICE,		One lot of fancy worsted pants, which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$2.00. Go at.....	
\$2.48		Sale Price.		95c	
Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$6.50 7.00 and 7.50 will be sold at		Hundreds of Men's Overcoats and Ulsters, made and trimmed in a remarkably reliable manner and worth \$6 to \$7, yet same can be bought here for.....		A big assortment of fine hair-line cassimere, worsted and cheviot pants, wholesale price from \$2.50 to \$5. Go at \$1.98	
\$3.48		\$7, \$6.50 6.00		Men's very finest pants in clay, riverside and import worsteds and cassimeres such as Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$6.00, 7.00 and 8.00. Go at.....	
Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$8.00, 9.00 and 10.00 will be sold at		\$10 \$9.00 8.00		\$3.48	
\$4.69		Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$12, 13.00 and 13.50 will be sold at		Men's fine Business Suits or Overcoats, regular \$11 and \$12 qualities. Sale price.....	
Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$14, 15 and 16 will be sold at		\$6.48		\$5.79	
\$7.39		Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$14, 15 and 16 will be sold at		Men's fine Dress Suits and Overcoats, fit for any man to wear, thoroughly dependable in every particular.....	
Children's Suits and Overcoats.		\$7.39		\$7.48	
SALE PRICE		\$12 and \$11.00		\$9.48	
Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$2 and 2.50 will be sold at		\$15 and \$13.50		\$10.98	
\$1.29		Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$4.50, 5.00 and 6.00 will be sold at		Men's Overcoats, Ulsters and Suits in a variety of fine material, too numerous to mention, superbly stylish and elegantly made.....	
Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$3 and 3.50 will be sold at		\$2.48		\$12.50	
\$1.75		Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$7 and 7.50 will be sold at		Men's magnificent suits, in all up-to-date styles. Any tailor in the city would ask you \$35 for what we sell for	
Which Kahn Schoenbrun & Co. sold at \$4.50, 5.00 and 6.00 will be sold at		\$3.48			
Hat Department.		SALE PRICE			
\$1.00 hats.....		48c			
1.50 hats.....		79c			
2.00 hats.....		98c			
2.50 hats.....		\$1.29			
3.00 hats.....		1.48			
3.50 hats.....		1.79			

## THE CONTINENTAL CLOTHING HOUSE,

Manufacturers and Retailers of Fine Clothing,

Opposite the Myers House.

59 East Milwaukee Street,

JANESVILLE, WIS.

## BORT, BAILEY &amp; CO.

To give away beautiful embroidered handkerchiefs Tuesday and Wednesday next.

During the Mid-winter Fair we want to crowd every inch of floor space every moment of the two days with Rock county's shrewdest shoppers.

This is the magnet we use

To every purchaser of goods amounting to \$2 or more, in any and all departments of the house, we will present free of price a beautiful Embroidered Handkerchief, actual value 25 to 40 cents.

Ask To See Our New

Hamburg Embroideries,  
New Pattern Dresses,  
Valenciennes Laces.  
36-in Serges at 25c,  
45-in Serges at 39c,  
Black Dress Goods,  
Printed DIMITIES,  
White Goods,

We are today showing more first-class new Dry Goods than any other concern in the city. Every stock in our store is in excellent shape. You can find what you want, and at the lowest prices. We want every lady who attends the Mid-winter Fair to consider this a personal invitation to make this store your meeting place, your resting place, your shopping place.

BORT, BAILEY &amp; CO.



## A COUNTY PIONEER COMMITTS SUICIDE

**DANIEL TASKER HANGS HIMSELF IN HIS WOODSHED.**

Urged His Daughter To Go to Church in Order That He Might End His Life Without Fear of Being Detected—Demise of N. E. Bennett—Other Deaths.

Daniel Tasker, one of Rock county's pioneers, and a resident of Beloit since 1837, committed suicide by hanging himself in his woodshed Sunday morning. The act was all planned, Mr. Tasker urging his step daughter, Mrs. Bundy, to go to church and as soon as she had gone he wrote a note telling her that he had persuaded her to go away that he might take his life as he was tired of living.

Mr. Tasker was an old settler in Rock county. He came from Vermont and was seventy five years of age. His father was a soldier in the war of 1812. In 1823 Mr. Tasker's parents came west and located in Chicago, that city then being a village of 300 population. In 1834 he removed to Naperville Ill., and in 1835 he came to Rock county. He learned the masons trade when sixteen years of age and worked at it until age prevented further physical exertion. He was married in 1845 and three children blessed the union, but Mrs. Tasker died in 1879 and in 1881 Mr. Tasker was married again, his present wife surviving him.

When he came to Rock county there was not a single house on the west side of the river at Beloit.

Tasker had been very despondent for a long time. He brooded over the death of his son which occurred a year ago, and in addition he was afflicted with an ailment from which he thought he could not recover. Mrs. Bundy cut the body down, and Marshal Appleby was notified. A coroner's inquest was held, the jury deciding that Mr. Tasker committed suicide while despondent.

Noyes E. Bennett.

The funeral of Noyes E. Bennett, who died at the home of his son, N. D. Bennett, 531 Reed street, Milwaukee, was held from Allen's Grove, Walworth county, at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Bennett was one of Janesville's oldest and best known citizens, and had been spending the winter with his son in the Cream City. His health had been poor for some time past, and it was known that he could not long survive. His parents, Daniel and Deborah Leeds (Spicer) Bennett were descended from English Puritan ancestors who settled in Connecticut about the year 1698. Mr. Bennett was twice married and leaves a wife to mourn his demise.

There are few people in Janesville who did not know N. E. Bennett, either personally or by sight. He was an active republican and took active part in the political affairs of the Fifth ward, in which he resided. For many years he had served on the election board and was a familiar figure at the caucuses and polling booth. His death will be generally mourned, and the relatives will have the sympathy of all Janesville people.

Carl Faess.

Carl Faess, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Faess, died at the home of his parents, 171 Sarah street, at 6:30 o'clock last evening, aged one year and seven months. His demise being the result of croup and lung trouble. The funeral will be held from the home at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and Rev. G. Kaempfelein will officiate. The death of the little one is a sad blow to Mr. and Mrs. Faess, and their many friends will extend tender sympathy.

Mrs. Noel Seacrest.

Mrs. Noel Seacrest of the town of Plymouth, died yesterday at 12 o'clock aged forty-nine years. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn her loss. Mrs. Amos Buyer, Perry, Della and Henry, all of the town of Plymouth. The funeral will be held from the house tomorrow at 10 o'clock and from the Methodist church in the town of Plymouth, at 11 o'clock, interment to be in the cemetery at Orfordville.

Clifford E. Scherine.

Clifford E. Scherine died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scherine in the town of Harmony at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning aged six weeks. The funeral was held from the home this morning and the interment was made at the Harmony cemetery.

The Funeral of L. C. Oas.

The funeral of little Lief Conrad Oas was held from the parental home on Benton avenue at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. O. J. Kvale, of Orfordville officiating. The pall bearers were Ole Graupke, Harry Hanson, Frank Holt and Alfred Olson.

Free Reading Matter Coupons.

The following firms will give 5 percent in cash on all cash purchases made by holders of the F. R. M. coupons. Get hard cash with each purchase and buy your own reading matter.

T. J. Ziegler, King & Skelly, Prentice & Evenson, W. T. Sherer & Co., E. B. Heimstreet, E. O. Smith & Co., George King & Co., Janesville Steam Laundry, J. P. Minor, J. D. Holmes, Stearns & Baker, Rich & Davis.

## ECHOS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

THE "Lyonettes" cigars are union made.

The Light Infantry will drill tonight.

THE "Lyonettes" cigars are complaint proof.

SOLD on its merits—The "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

FOR SALE—Dry kindling. Thoroughgood & Co.

KNIGHTS of Pythias will gather at Castle hall tonight.

SPRING sale of baby cabs is now on at Sutherland's book store.

MISS ADA POND who has been sick for a week is able to be out.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 oxfords 49 cents a pair for three days. Lowell.

SMITH's orchestra play for a K. P. party this evening at Sharon.

MIDWINTER fair visitors are welcome to call at Oak Lawn hospital.

PRETTY strap slippers for ladies \$1 a pair. Becker & Woodruff.

J. M. BOSTWICK & Sons talk about correct things for spring today.

THE famous Foster ladies \$5 shoe only \$2.50. Becker & Woodruff.

GEORGE CHARLTON received a car of horses last week from the north.

NEEDLE toe enamel shoes for men only \$1.50. Becker & Woodruff.

LENTEN services will be held at Christ church at 7:15 this evening.

W. F. FORD has been added to the force at the Janesville Barb Wire works.

You better come early if you expect to get a pair of those 49 cent oxfords. Lowell.

JUDGE JOHN R. BENNETT opens the spring term of court in Monroe tomorrow.

WINDOW shades made to order and put up on short notice at Sutherland's book store.

Two hundred pair oxfords Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 49 cents a pair. Lowell.

A NUMBER of improvements are being made in the Lewis residence on Jackson street.

J. M. BOSTWICK & Sons will entertain you today with a little talk on made up garments.

A HORSE arrived at the Mt. Horeb home of Mr. and Mrs. William Koch, formerly of this city.

The Vincent-Streeter Company arrived this morning from DeKaib and are registered at the Myers House.

THE Presbyterian ladies will serve a supper in the church parlors on Wednesday, from 5:30 to 7:30; 25 cents.

ALBERT SCHWARTZ who has been night clerk at the Park hotel has accepted a position with an Elkhorn hotel.

THE Streeter-Vincent Company will begin their week's engagement at the Myers' Grand tonight. "Grit" will be the bill.

THE Knights of Pythias social club will give a dance at Castle hall tomorrow evening, and all members of the order are invited.

THE regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the building. Ella De Bauw, secretary.

MRS. DRAHMAN, an aged lady residing on Highland avenue, fell in a fit Saturday night, and dislocated her left shoulder. Dr. Joe Whiting attended her.

MR. and Mrs. Frank Coulter were given a farewell party at their Racine street home last Friday evening, prior to their moving to their La Prairie farm.

THIS is the first Monday of the month, so according to schedule, the Knights of the Macabees, Royal Arcanum and the Concordia Society will meet this evening.

THERE will be a social dance in Castle hall tomorrow evening. All Knights of Pythias and their ladies are invited. Dancing at 8:30. Smith will furnish music.

MISS JANETTE FORD entertained the R. Y. G. cooking club Saturday evening at the Madison street home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ford. Supper was served at 6.

F. J. BAILEY writes from Florida that the weather has been fine and that he has been living on fresh quail which are to be had for the shooting whenever quail and toast are wanted.

W. H. SARGENT W. B. C. will meet at Post hall Tuesday afternoon, February 3d. Let there be a full attendance, as there is plenty of work. By order of President E. B. Warren. Nettie C. Collins, secretary.

LOST—On Saturday evening, February 29, between J. M. Bostwick & Sons' and St. Paul's Lutheran church, a pocket book containing a check, payable to order, and some small change. Finder will please leave at this office.

THE ladies of Court Street M. E. church will serve dinner from 12 to 2 o'clock in the Sunday school room on Court street, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, during the farmers' convention. A good 50 cent dinner for 25 cents will be the motto.

WE are not going to offer you a lot of old shoes at our unloading sale, but nice clean shoes. We have too many shoes, and want room for spring styles. Don't fail to look at these bargains, if you think of buying shoes. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

ALEXANDER GALBRAITH leaves for Scotland Tuesday evening on an important commission given him by a well known eastern man. The details of the trip cannot be made known as yet, but developments of importance to stock raisers are hinted at. Mr. Galbraith will be away about six weeks.

THE "Lyonettes" are union made.

## HANG OUT THE FLAGS FOR THE BIG FAIR

JANESVILLE WILL SEE LIVELY TIMES TOMORROW.

Every Citizen Is Urged To Make Himself a Reception Committee of One To Give the Visitors Attention—How the Entries Are Now Pouring In.

Rock county never saw anything like it! When the county fair is a big one and the classes are full there have sometimes been two hundred entries in the classes represented, while the mid-winter fair rolls up a total of one thousand exhibits. The committee have been at work since early morning in the big McKay store. The secretary's office was moved from W. Milwaukee street to Main street, and everything was prepared for quick work. The committee are especially anxious that as many premiums as possible be sent in by the donors, as the work of collection will be difficult. It is desired that flags be placed on as many public buildings as possible Tuesday and Wednesday and that the stores be properly decorated. All the stores in the city will be open Tuesday night. Business men are urged to take Tuesday and Wednesday off and attend the sessions of the institute proper, each one acting as part of the general reception committee and see to it that the visitors are well received, for there can be no better opportunity for getting acquainted with the people of the county than during these meetings.

Ladies Urged to Attend.

Ladies are also requested to attend as there will be much of profit brought out of them at each session. The evening meeting will be one of the best given in the city for a long time as Prof. Henry is a speaker of much charm. Witty, well informed and magnetic, he is in demand wherever institutes are held. The Court House should be packed Tuesday evening. Everybody in town is expected to have a hand in entertaining the visitors. A matter of considerable difficulty is likely to occur in the stabling of horses and fears were expressed at today's meeting of the committee that over charges might be made. It is hoped that any such case will be given full publicity however.

Odd Fellows are doing their part toward making the week a pleasant one and will throw their hall open on Wednesday afternoon, all visiting brothers being invited to make the hall their headquarters. Mrs. Jameson has forwarded the menu for her cooking class Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon.

The Program.

The program for the sessions of the institute are as follows:

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION—10 O'CLOCK.

Rotation of Crops.....Charles Thorpe

Tillage.....Supt. George McKerron

Town Insurance.....John Stockman

AFTERNOON SESSION—1:30 O'CLOCK.

Corn Fodder for Cows.....W. H. Hughes

Feeds and Feeding.....Prof. W. A. Henry

Farmers' Organizations.....S. C. Carr

The Horse.....A. E. Gairbraith

EVENING SESSION—7:30 O'CLOCK.

Music.....Orchestra

Music.....Quartette from Home Mastodons

Address of Welcome.....Ogden H. Fetters

Music.....Mrs. J. F. Sweeney

Address—Prof. William A. Henry Dean of the Agricultural College of the University of Wisconsin.

Music.....Orchestra

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION—9:30 O'CLOCK

Hard Times on the Farm.....D. N. Sayre

Potatoes.....George Goocher, C. E. Chapman

The Sheep.....Superintendent George McKerron

Poultry.....C. E. Chapman

AFTERNOON SESSION—1:30 O'CLOCK.

Milk Test.....Charles Thorpe

Roads.....A. C. Powers

The Hog.....A. A. Arnold

Apple Growing.....A. J. Phillips

Entries for the fair close at 6 o'clock this evening and all exhibits must be in place before noon tomorrow. Up to noon today there have been three hundred entries in the culinary class alone.

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West Milwaukee street.

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DR. OSCAR KING of Geneva, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

LANDLORD L. O. BREWER of the Park House spent Sunday in Evansville.

MISS NELLIE RANOUS is home from a visit with Fort Atkinson friends.

CHARLES ADAMS of Baraboo, registered at Holt's Hotel over Sunday.

WILLIAM CODY, now of Madison, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

T. J. SALEMAN left this morning, on a three weeks' trip through the state.

GEORGE MESSENGER, a well known Chicago hotel man, spent Sunday in the city.

FRANK VANKIRK, who is attending the State University, spent Sunday in the city.

ORVILLE MORSE, clerk at the Grand Hotel, has been on the sick list the past few days.

JOSEPH MOHARTY, formerly of this city, but now of Clinton, spent Sunday in the city.

S. T. GREEN, of Orford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith, at Oak Lawn hospital.

CLYDE PITNEY of Augusta, Ill., has been added to the messenger force at the Western Union office.

EUGENE STEVENS visited Mineral Point today, in the interest of the Rock River Cotton Company.

MR. and Mrs. George Davis, of Chicago, who have been visiting in the city, returned home last evening.

JOHN KLINE, the well known sporting man from Beloit, was greeting friends in the city today.

L. C. BREWER, proprietor of the Park Hotel, returned yesterday from Evansville, after a two days' sojourn.

ATTORNEY WILSON LANE left last night for St. Paul on important legal business and will be absent a week.

MISS ROSE ROCK returned to her home in New Glarus this morning, after an over Sunday visit in the city.

W. H. COLLINS of Madison, and W. E. James of Wausau, both lumber merchants, spent Sunday in the city.

WILLIAM KOCH, formerly of this city but now of Mt. Horeb, will work at the Shackleton mill, and will soon remove his family to this city.

MR. and Mrs. J. O. E. Guernsey and daughter, Grace, of Dubuque, Ia., were called here by the death of the late Mrs. C. Guernsey have returned home.

J. L. FORD & SON, Agents for John B. Stetson Co., son & Co. A few of the many styles we are showing for spring.

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## SIMPSON IN COURT FOR A CHECK DEAL

ALLEGED FORGER IS NOW IN CUSTODY.

Sheriff Appleby, Who Went to Indiana

To Get the Accused, Returned with His Prisoner Last Night—Assault and Battery Case Is Heard—Other Police News.

Sheriff Appleby returned from Franklin, Indiana last night, with John Simpson, who is charged with forging the indorsement of his employer, Mr. Page, on a check. Simpson went to Marshal Louister of that city and said he was tired of being hounded by detectives and wanted to give himself up. He said he was wanted at Janesville for forgery. After looking him up the marshal wired the Janesville authorities, who replied that Simpson's story was true and that a reward had been offered for his capture. Accordingly he was held until Sheriff Appleby's arrival.

Simpson waived examination and his case will come up again on Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m.

George Trinwith was about town looking for a fight Saturday night and today Judge Phelps gave him a five day jail sentence for being drunk and disorderly.

Judge Phelps was called upon this afternoon to hear the matter at issue in which the state of Wisconsin was plaintiff and F. E. Leubke defendant, George B. Pratt charging Leubke with assault and battery.

A SOCIETY spoke, the "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

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Absolutely Pure.

After examining samples of the leading brands of baking powder I have arrived at the conclusion that the Royal is superior in purity, leavening power and keeping qualities. It is a cream of tartar powder, entirely free from alum, lime, ammonia, and all deleterious ingredients.

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And no other is so perfectly adapted for use by women.

Before deciding upon your mount for '96, call and see them.

\$75, \$50, \$40.

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when you think of buying fine Candies, we keep a complete stock of



## A Gambler's Conversion.

An interesting incident related by Mr. Crosskey, a Christian worker in England, is reported by the Christian Herald:

I heard of a young fellow who was in the habit of betting; he felt that he was on the way to destruction, but the gambling passion was too strong within him to be resisted. He told his Sunday school teacher that he had given up many bad habits, but that from this one he did not feel able to escape.

"Were you always with me," he said, "I might manage it."

"I cannot always be with you," replied the teacher; "but when and where do you gamble?"

"Oh, every day at dinner hour; I go down to the saloon at 1 o'clock," was the answer.

"Well, I will tell you what I will do," said the teacher. "Every day as the clock strikes 1, I will pray for you."

The young fellow was conquered. He came after a day or two, and said, "I shall bet no more. Yesterday I wanted to go to the saloon, and I could not. I thought what a shame it was that you should be praying for me and that I should be gambling at the saloon, and I could not do it."

Thus by the patient, loving persistence in prayer of a good man, a sinner was brought into the gospel fold. "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much."

## It Makes a Difference.

Johnson and Thompson were next-door neighbors. Johnson had a dog that barked a considerable part of every night. Finally Thompson said to Johnson:

"Look here, Johnson, we have always been friends, and I hope you won't take offense if I tell you that the barking of your dog is driving me and my family mad for want of sleep."

"Dear me!" said Johnson. "That's queer. I haven't noticed that Leo ever barked any to speak of."

Two or three evenings afterward Thompson came home leading a dog—the dog—by a string.

"Now, then," said he to Mrs. Thompson, "we will soon have a chance to sleep. I didn't like to shoot the beast while he belonged to Johnson, so I have bought him. Nobody can blame us for killing our own dog. I'll get some chloroform to-morrow."

A month passed, and Johnson and Thompson met.

"Well, Thompson, you haven't chloroformed the dog yet."

"No," said Thompson. "The truth is we have become rather fond of the fellow. He is so lively and playful."

"But doesn't his barking at night annoy you?"

"I haven't noticed it."

"H'm!" said Johnson. "The brute keeps us awake half the night. I don't see how you can put up with it."—Chicago World.

## Fresh Fish Always.

A restaurant in Portland, Me., has an arrangement that should prove as satisfactory to the customers as it is profitable to the proprietor. The place is on the water front, and the kitchen is built out on piles over the river. In the floor of the kitchen is a trap door, and through this fish lines are kept hanging out on which considerable numbers of fish are caught daily.

## Dog with False Teeth.

It is said that a dog in Milliken, Mass., possesses and uses daily a full set of artificial teeth. The dog is very old, and it is a family pet. When it lost its teeth recently its owner, according to the story, had the local dentist make the animal a full set of teeth, and they are said to be a perfect working success.

## Getting Particular.

Traveler—"I hear you have had a great religious revival in this town." Westerner—"Yes-siree. Way, even the gamblers had to jine th' church or lose their customers."

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being March 17, 1896, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of William H. Judd, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Francis Dano, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the duties of said administrator to such other persons as are by law entitled thereto.—Dated Feb. 15, 1896.

By the court,  
J. W. SALE, County Judge

F. C. BURPEE, Attorney for Adm'r.  
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## Notice of Judicial Election.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the Judicial Election to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts of the state of Wisconsin, on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1896, being the seventh day of said month, the following officers are to be elected, to wit: A Justice of the Supreme Court, in place of Honorable Roger D. Marshall, appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Honorable Harlow S. Orion, who was elected for the full term ending on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1898.

Said election to be held and conducted, votes canvassed, and returns made, in accordance with law.

Given under my hand, official seal, (SEAL) at the court house, in the city of Janesville, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1896.

W. J. McINTYRE, County Clerk.

## Free Reading Matter.

Among the stores accepting our coupons are:

J. H. PARKER,  
C. A. THOMPSON,  
J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS,  
F. D. KIMBALL.

Coupon books may be had at our office—PALMER & BONESTIEL'S drug store.



When they put a man in jail, he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is it not equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat what he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first, perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and biliousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The poison is being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any disease. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that. Of druggists.

## A BARGAIN.

FOR SALE.—My house, barn and four full lots on Hickory street, just off Fourth Avenue. I will sell at very reasonable figure. A beautiful home for some one.

H. F. BLISS.

Enquire at Gazette office.

## Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

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## Expert Opinion

The Canadian Government recently sent an appraiser to the principal bicycle factories in this country, to determine the exact value of various makes for import into Canada. After an exhaustive investigation, his report to his Government rated

## Columbia Bicycles

7½ per cent. higher than any other make and they pay duty accordingly. This but confirms the popular verdict. Columbias are

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Beautiful Art Catalogue of Columbia and Hartford Bicycles is free if you call upon any Columbia agent; by mail from us for two 2-cent stamps.

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Branch Stores and Agencies in almost every city and town. If Columbias are not properly represented in your vicinity let us know.



SEALED PROPOSALS—Office of the Board of Regents, University of Wisconsin, Madison, February 7, 1896. Sealed proposals are invited by the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin, and will be received until 12 o'clock noon March 6, 1896, for the construction of repairs, alterations and addition to ladies' hall on the University grounds at Madison, Wisconsin. Proposals will be received for the complete work, and also for each class of work.

Plan and specifications can be seen at the office of Perry & Clas, architects, Milwaukee, Wis., at the office of the Board of Regents, Law building, Madison, Wis., at the office of Regent Frank Chalmers, Oshkosh, Wis.; and at the office of President William P. Bartlett, 419 South Barstow street, Eau Claire, Wis. Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check for 2 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the order of E. F. Riley, secretary; to be forfeited to the Board of Regents in case the bidder or bidders chosen fail to enter into contract with the board and furnish satisfactory bond for the proper execution of the same within five (5) days after the acceptance of his proposal. Bids must be sealed and addressed to the undersigned, and upon the envelope show name and address of the bidder and marked "Proposals for work, Ladies' Hall." The Board of Regents reserve the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept any bid or combination of bids which the regents may deem to their advantage.

By order of the Board of Regents,  
E. F. RILEY, Secretary,  
Madison, Wis.

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## First Display of

## Spring Wraps

For the two days of Janesville's  
Mid-Winter Fair and Institute,

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,

March 3d and 4th.

## CAPES,

## JACKETS,

## SEPARATE SKIRTS,

## READY MADE DRESSES.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

## Spring Announcement...

We have, for spring, a well selected stock, up to your requirements, and at prices within everyone's means. We offer you in our spring selection---although a trifle early---Adler Bros,' specialties which are art in style, skill in manufacture, and high merit in quality. It is a pleasure to refer to these facts. In calling your attention to our new line of

## Men's and Boys' Clothing

our secret is we sell good goods a little cheaper than any other house in the city. We expect that our low prices for spring trade will scatter some first-class spring novelties quickly among good dressers.

F. R. M. COUPONS taken on all cash purchases but not on credit.

Frank H. Baack.



## EVERY WOMAN

Sometimes needs a reliable, monthly, regulating medicine. Only harmless and the purest drugs should be used. If you want the best, get

## Dr. Peal's Pennyroyal Pills

They are prompt, safe and certain in result. The genuine (Dr. Peal's) never disappoint. Sent anywhere, \$1.00. Address: PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, O.

For Sale by Frentice & Evenson, Janesville.

## The Big Store,

ON THE CORNER,

## Great Special Sale ..

Of three days' Duration ..

To start off the CASH deal.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

Ladies' \$1.25 and \$1.50

FINE OXFORDS for

49c Pair.

Your choice of 200 pairs of these Oxfords at the above stated price, 49c a pair. The rule we have adopted to accept nothing but CASH, to conduct the business on a CASH basis, will do much toward cheapening articles to purchasers. This sale of 200 pairs of Oxfords at

49 cents a pair!

for three days is only a starter.

WATCH OUR SMOKE! SEE?

LOWELL HARDWARE CO.



**It Was Evident.**

"I see some skates are talking about a six-year presidential term, an' sayin' it's a good thing," said the fat man.

"Well, we wouldn't have so many campaigns in that case," returned the little man. "That's why I favor it."

"Do you favor it?" asked the fat man, scowling at the little one.

"Certainly."

"Well, I don't know who you are, but I'll bet a ten-dollar bill to a copper cent you're not in the saloon business."—Chicago Evening Post.

**Advantages of Matrimony.**

Mr. Wallace—It seems to me that if ever a bachelor realizes his unhappy lot it must be when he is in bed sick.

Mrs. Wallace—Yes. There is a great difference between a hired nurse and a wife. If he goes to throwing the medicine bottles and things at the nurse when she happens to hurt his rheumatism she will leave.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

**Usually the Way.**

We hire a fair stenographer, and for a time dictate to her. But very soon it makes us "cuss" to find that she dictates to us.

—Town Topics.

**BEYOND PRAISE.**

Roseius—But you haven't got a word of praise for anyone. I should like to know who you would consider a finished writer?

Criticus—A dead one, my boy—a dead one.—Punch.

**How Girls Love Each Other.**

Tippie—Harry proposed to me last night.

Sibyl—Yes. He told me he was going to when I refused him.

Tippie—Then, I understand what he meant when he said that, outside of one gigantic piece of folly, he had led a pretty blameless life.—N. Y. World.

**Somewhat Abbreviated.**

Gus De Smith—What costume did Miss Fatgirl wear at the masquerade ball?

Tom Vanderchump—She appeared as a mushroom, and her costume didn't occupy as mushroom on the floor as some others.—Texas Sifter.

**The Last Is the Worst.**

Talk about an angel, and the wings you'll surely hear;

Talk about the devil, and he'll certainly appear.

Talk about your tailor, and he's after you for fair;

Talk about a woman and you have her in your hair.

—Town Topics.

**He Particularized.**

"Death levels all," remarked Mrs. Trivet, solemnly.

"That is very true," replied Mr. Trivet. "Whatever may be the case in life, after death there is no more articulation in a woman's skeleton than in a man's."—N. Y. World.

**Dermatological.**

Riley—Why don't yez larn t' roide th' boike, Casey?

Casey—Well, Roiley, if Oi hod yure face Oi wud. Ivery toime yez falls aff yure machine ut improves yure looks.

—Judge.

**A Vivid Imagination.**

Mrs. Chaffie—Johnnie, I have discovered that you have taken more cake than I gave you.

Johnnie—Yes, ma. I made believe that there was another little boy spending the day with me.—Texas Sifter.

**Tempering It.**

Wiley—This is funny; a barber out west advertises to give chloroform if desired.

Smiley—Nothing remarkable about that—all the barbers give natural gas.

—To Daze.

**A Great Head.**

Visitor—But the head of Mr. Bulger as painted in this picture is a good deal more than life size.

Artist—I painted it to suit Mr. Bulger; he feels that his head is that size.

—To Date.

**A Clear Case.**

Mrs. Arden—Do you know, personally, doctor, that my husband is dead?

Dr. Pillsbox—Yes; I treated him.

Mrs. Arden (with a sigh of relief)—Then that settles it. There's no further room for doubt.—Town Topics.

**Cause and Effect.**

Wife (at the piano)—John, you're singing dreadfully to-night. There, you've skipped a bar!

John—Didn't skip any on the road home.—Judge.

**Her Failing.**

"How tedious it is playing whist with such a partner as that Miss Gadabout!"

"Yes; I believe that girl would ask the angel Gabriel 'what's trumps?'"—Detroit Free Press.

**At the Kaffeeklatsch.**

"Fannie, I have told you time and again not to speak when older persons were talking but wait until they stop."

"I've tried that already, mamma. They never stop."—Texas Sifter.

**A Wise Child.**

"Dickie, what do you want for your birthday present?"

"Oh, papa, get me a savings bank that mamma can't get nickels out of with a hair-pin."—Chicago Record.

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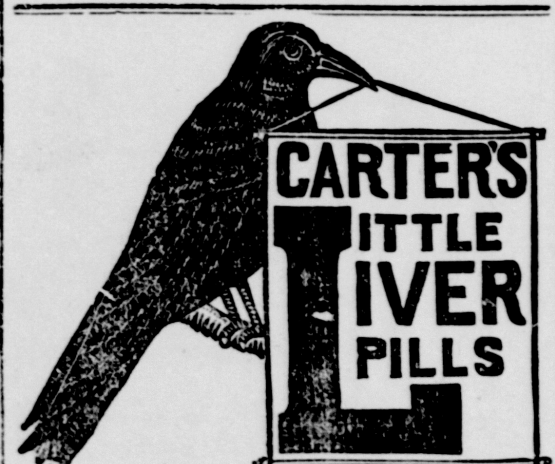
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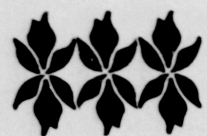
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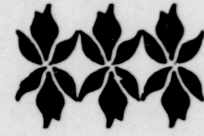


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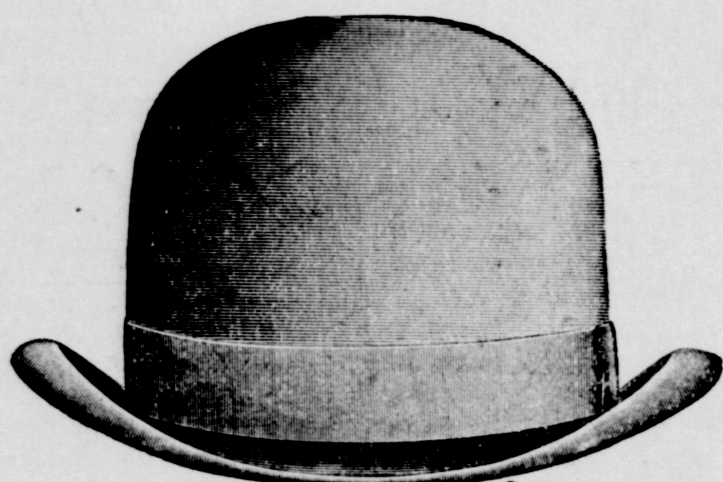


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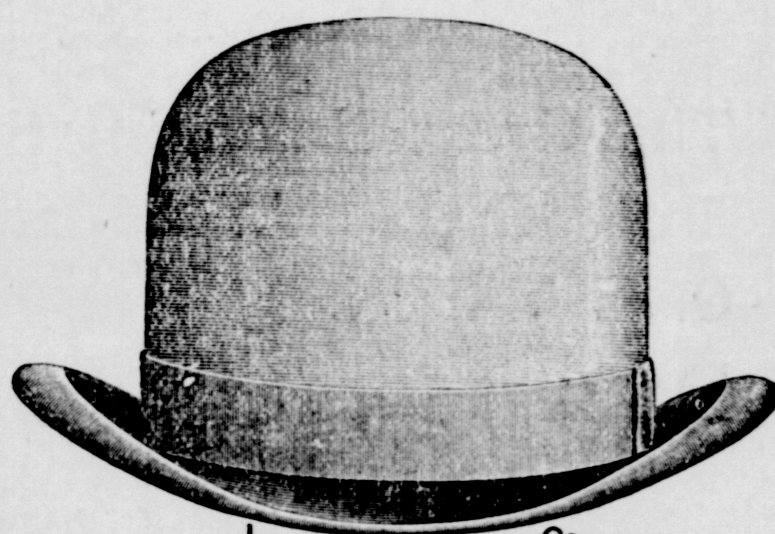


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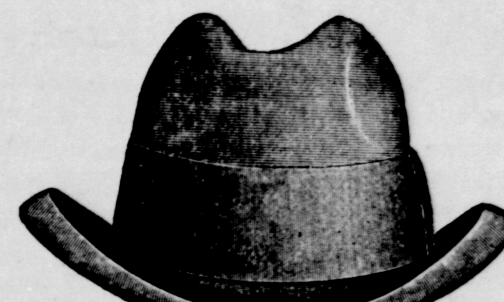
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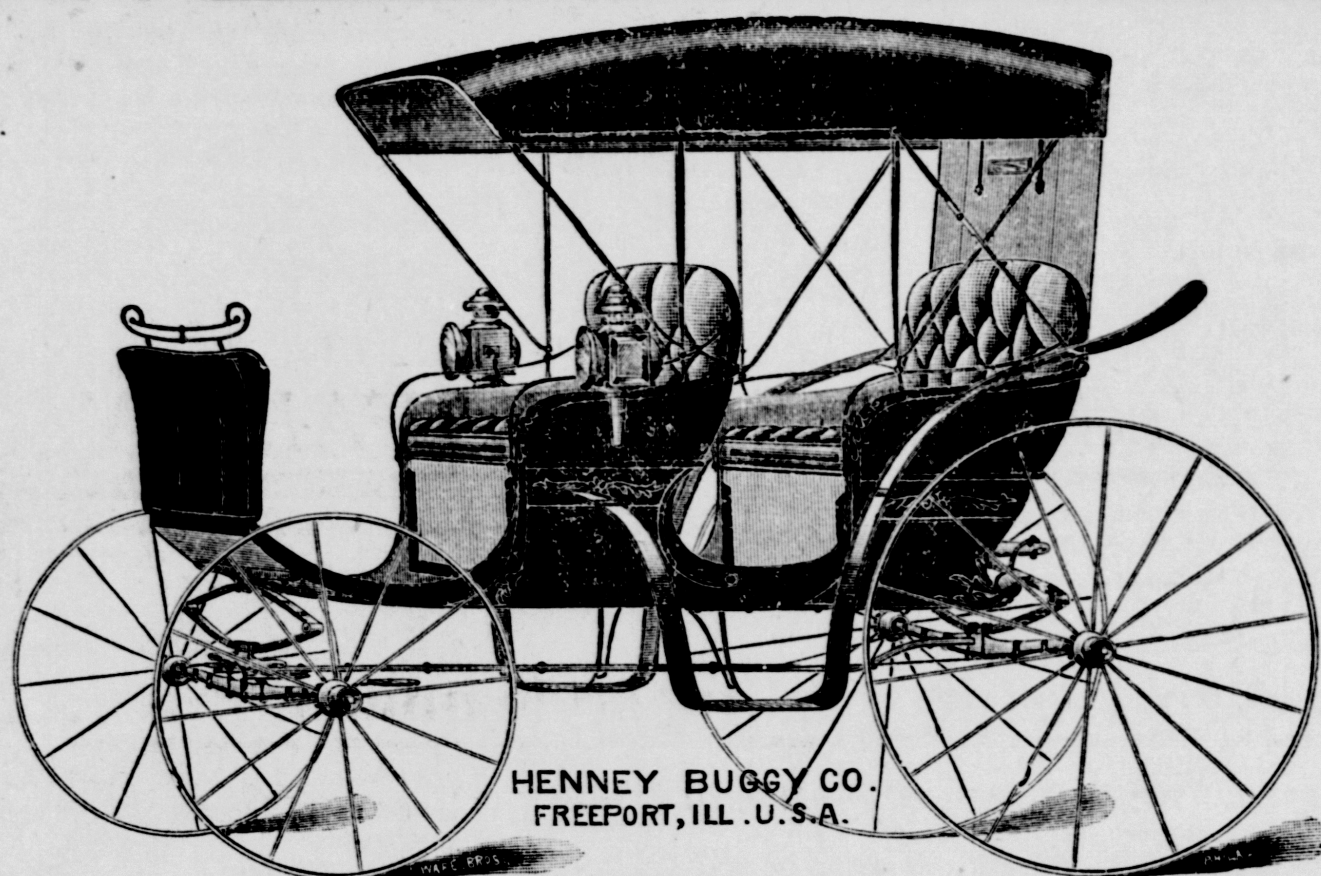
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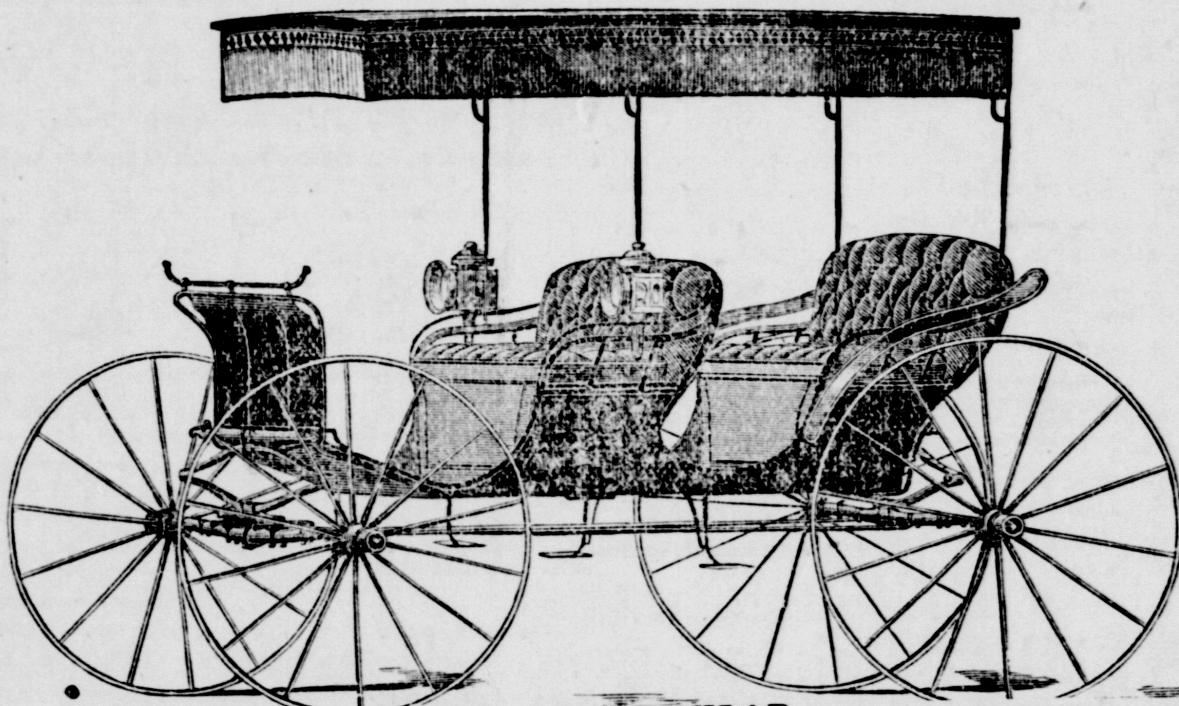
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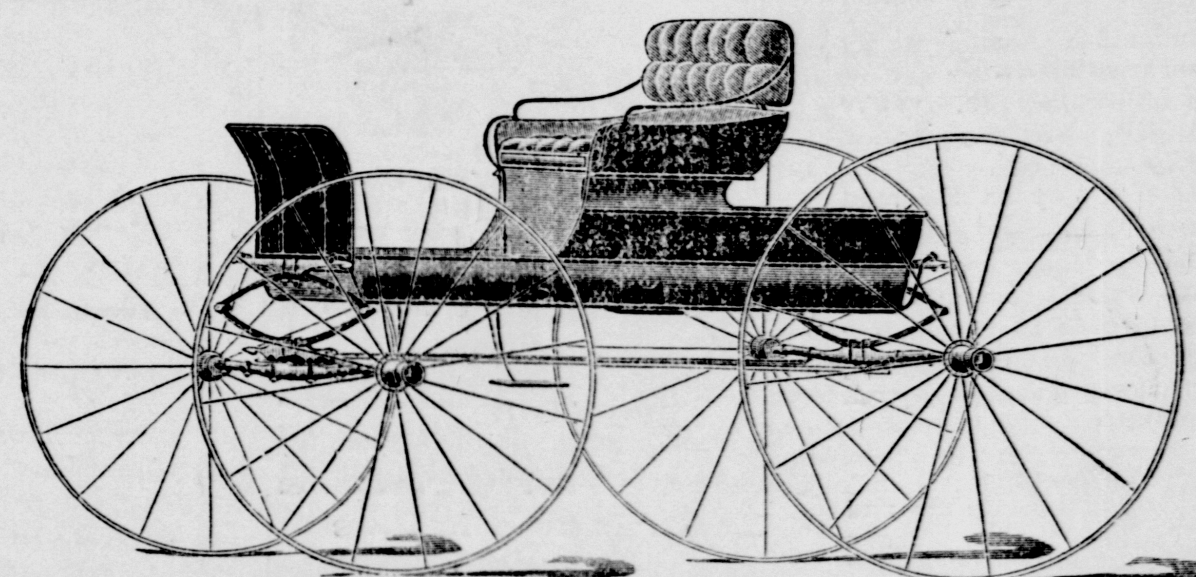
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